

**Columbia/Snake Rivers TMDL Meeting**  
**FCRPS Action Agencies, States, Tribes, EPA**  
**Summit Room, Portland District Office**  
**333 SW First St.**

**April 17, 2001**

**Purpose:** The purpose of this meeting is to determine the specific roles of the FCRPS Action Agencies (Corps, BoR and BPA) in development of the Columbia/Snake River TMDLs for Temperature and Total Dissolved Gas (TDG).

**Desired Outcomes:** A recommended strategy for involving the Action Agencies in development of the TMDLs, including:

- specific activities by the action agencies in the areas of data collection, modeling, and public involvement in accordance with established work plans;
- specific activities the Action Agencies will take to develop operational or structural measures at the dams for reducing temperature and TDG in coordination with development of the TMDL;
- specific methods for interacting with the Action Agencies on technical and policy decisions.

**Agenda:**

**10:00 - 10:20** Welcome, Introductions, Review Agenda - EPA

**10:20 - 10:45** Review Action Agencies' desired outcomes from participating in development of the TMDLs and their commitment to participation - Action Agencies

**10:45 - 11:15** Review Temperature TMDL Work Plan, highlight opportunities for Action Agency participation - EPA

**11:15 - 11:45** Review TDG TMDL Work Plans, highlight opportunities for Action Agency participation - States

**11:45 - 12:45** Lunch

**12:45 - 1:45** List specific needs that the action agencies can meet. Suggested categories: data and information needs, modeling and public involvement - Facilitated discussion

**1:45 - 2:15** Discuss and list specific activities that the Action Agencies can take to develop operational and structural measures to reduce temperature and TDG at dams - Facilitated Discussion

**2:15 - 2:45** Discuss and record how to interact with the Action Agencies on Technical and policy decisions - Facilitated Discussion

**2:45 - 3:30** Pull together the three elements into a first cut strategy for involving the Action

## Agencies in TMDL development - Facilitated Discussion